Pradesh, Bihar and West Bengal and are posing a threat to peace in these States.

(b) No such inputs have come to the notice of the Government.

(c) Does not arise.

Police personnel killed in J&K

†772. SHRI LALIT KISHORE CHATURVEDI:
SHRI VARINDER SINGH BAJWA:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of officers and personnel of security forces, State police and civilians separately killed in terrorists attacks and in police operations in Jammu and Kashmir since January, till date;

(b) the number of terrorists killed and arrested, region-wise, and the details of the organisations to which they belonged;

(c) the extent of loss to Government and private property on account of the activities of the terrorists;

(d) the steps taken and proposed to be taken to tackle the situation; and

(e) whether policy of Government of India has demoralised the security forces as a result of which tendency of suicides and killing of officers has been increasing amongst Army and Police personnel?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI SRIPRAKASH JAISWAL): (a) As reported by the State Government of Jammu & Kashmir, the details of killings in terrorist related violent incidents from Jannuary till October end 2006 are as under:

1. Security Forces killed	131
2. Civilians killed	340

(b) Details of terrorists killed/arrested from January to October and 2006 are as under:

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.

Jammu Region	
Terrorists killed	168
Terrorists apprehended	93
Kashmir Region	
Terrorists killed	348
Terrorists apprehended	262

Terrorists killed/arrested belong to different outfits like HM (*Hizb*-Ul-Mujahidieen, LeT(Lashkar-e-Taiba), JeM (Jamait-ul-Mujahidieen), HUM (Harkāt-ul-Mujahidieen), HUJI (Harkat-ul-Jahed Islami), Al-Badar, Al-Jehad, Al-Barak, Hizbi-Islmi, Al-Umarand and others which also include foreign terrorists.

(c) Details of loss of Government and private property due to terrorists activities are as under:

Govt. building damaged	01
Private houses damaged	88
Cowsheds/Kuthars	13
Business establishment (shops)	05

(d) The Government in tandem with the State Government, have adopted a multipronged approach, to contain cross-border terrorism/infiltration in Jammu and Kashmir, which includes, *inter-alia*, strengtheing of border management and multi-tiered and multi-model deployment along International Border/Line of Control and near the ever changing infiltration routes, construction of border fencing, improved technology, weapons and equipment for security forces, improved intelligence and operation coordination and synergising intelligence flow to check infiltraton and pro-active action against the terrorists, within the State. The counter terrorism/ infiltration efforts are reviewed periodically at various levels in the State Government (including the two Unified Headquarters headed by the Chief Minister of Jammu and Kashmir) and in the Central Government.

(c) No, Sir. The Central Parliamentary Forces as well as well as Army personnel are deployed in J&K to assist the State Government in view of the overall security scenario. Some personnel experience mental stress

due to long spells of deployment. But the situation is constantly monitored, analyzed and remedial action taken to provide relief.

Untraced Pak Nationals on Tourist Visa

773. SHRI TARLOCHAN SINGH: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) how many Pakistan nationals came to India on tourist visas during the last three years, years-wise;

(b) how many of them have not gone back; and

(c) have they been located in India or are still untraceable?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI SRIPRAKASH JAISWAL): (a) Grant of visa to Pakistani nationals is governed by the mutually agreed India-Pakistan Visa Agreement 1974, as amended from time to time. As per this bilateral agreement, tourist visa is not granted to Pakistani nationals.

(b) and (c) Do not arise.

Granting of Indian Citizenship

774. SHRI TARLOCHAN SINGH: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) how many persons have been given permanent Indian citizenship during the last three years, year-wise;

(b) what are their earlier nationalities;

(c) how many applications are in the process or are pending; and

(d) how many Afghan Hindus and Sikhs have been given Indian citizenship, and how many applications are pending?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI SRIPRAKASH JAISWAL): (a) and (b) The number of persons who have been granted Indian citizenship during the last three years is as under: